## **HOUSE RESOLUTION 357**

## By Weaver

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Eva Elizabeth Etheridge, a 2018 Top Ten Senior of Smith County High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this legislative body should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Eva Elizabeth Etheridge is one such exceptional student, who was recently named a Top Ten Senior of the 2018 graduating class at Smith County High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Ms. Etheridge has achieved outstanding academic success and joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, ranked tenth in the Smith County graduating class of 2018, Eva Etheridge has earned an exemplary grade point average while participating in numerous extracurricular activities, including Science Club; Math Club; Beta Club, which she served as secretary; Spanish Club, which she served as vice president; and volleyball, serving as captain three of the four years she played. In addition, she was a Girls State Delegate; and

WHEREAS, a recipient of the academic excellence award, Ms. Etheridge is an active member of South Carthage Missionary Baptist Church, where she faithfully assists the preschool Sunday School class; and

WHEREAS, her display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success as a biochemistry student at Carson-Newman University; and

WHEREAS, Eva Etheridge's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her parents, John and Rhonda Etheridge, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Etheridge's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of the members of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED TENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, that we hereby commend and honor Eva Elizabeth Etheridge of Smith County High School on being named a 2018 Top Ten student, salute her impressive academic achievement, and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.